

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

# CALIFORNIA SPORTFISHING PROTECTION ALLIANCE,

Case No. 2:21-cv-00073-JDP

**Plaintiff,**

V.

# PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY.

## Defendants

PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE  
COMPANY,

Case No. 2:23-cv-03052-KJM-JDP (PS)

Petitioner

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## Respondent

1 PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE  
2 COMPANY,

3 Movant,

4 v.

5 MARINE TAXONOMIC SERVICES,  
LTD.,

6 Respondent.

Case No. 2:24-cv-00022-KJM-JDP

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8 CALIFORNIA SPORTFISHING  
PROTECTION ALLIANCE,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE  
12 COMPANY,

13 Defendant.

Case No. 2:24-mc-00004-DAD-DB

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15 CALIFORNIA SPORTFISHING  
PROTECTION ALLIANCE,

16 Plaintiff,

17 v.

18 PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE  
19 COMPANY,

20 Defendant.

Case No. 2:24-mc-00096-DAD-JDP

21 Examination of the above-entitled actions reveals they are related within the meaning of  
22 E.D. Cal. Local Rule 123. The actions arise out of the same transaction or series of transactions  
23 and would therefore entail a substantial duplication of labor if heard by different judges.  
24 Accordingly, the assignment of the matters to the same judge is likely to effect a substantial  
25 savings of judicial effort and is also likely to be convenient for the parties. Under the regular  
26 practice of this court, related cases are generally assigned to the judge to whom the first filed  
27 action was assigned. Given that the first action is assigned to Magistrate Judge Jeremy D.

1 Peterson, and that all parties to 2:24-mc-00004-DAD-DB and 2:24-mc-00096-DAD-JDP have not  
2 consented to the jurisdiction of a United States Magistrate Judge, the latter cases will be  
3 reassigned to the undersigned and Magistrate Judge Peterson for all further proceedings.

4 Accordingly, IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the actions denominated  
5 2:24-mc- 00004-DAD-DB and 2:24-mc-00096-DAD-JDP are reassigned to Chief Judge  
6 Kimberly J. Mueller and Magistrate Judge Jeremy D. Peterson for all further proceedings. The  
7 caption on all documents filed in the reassigned cases shall be shown as 2:24-mc-00004-KJM-  
8 JDP and 2:24-mc-00096-KJM-JDP.

9 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make appropriate adjustments in  
10 case assignments to compensate for these reassignments.

11 IT IS SO ORDERED.

12 DATED: June 20, 2024.

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15 CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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